

MESSENGER ROBBED OF SALARY CHECKS

Theft Committed at Door of
Commerce and Labor.

TOOK POUCH AND A BICYCLE

Total Value of Pay Checks Placed at \$1,742.47, and It Is Believed Most of Them Have Been Cashied—Rifled Pouch Found Between Washington and Alexandria—Banks Notified.

The fact was made known officially yesterday that a messenger for the Marine Hospital Service was robbed on August 3 of Treasury pay checks aggregating \$1,742.47.

The messenger had left the office of the United States Treasurer, on whom the warrants were drawn, on his way to the office of the Marine Hospital Service, which is near the House of Representatives.

He left his bicycle in front of the door leading to the Department of Commerce and Labor, and the warrants were in a pouch hanging from the handle bar of the bicycle. When he returned he found the bicycle and the pouch missing. He reported the loss, and the police and Secret Service men were put on the case. The pouch has since been found, rifled of its contents, midway between Washington and Alexandria, Va.

Nine pay checks in all drawn in favor of various employees of the Marine Hospital Service were taken. They are dated August 1, and were issued on account of salary.

Payment Has Been Stopped.

The checks were numbered 74355 to 74360, inclusive. They ranged from \$45 to \$338.33 in amounts, and the Treasury Department has stopped payment on them.

Information has been received by John E. Wilkie, chief of the Secret Service, that two of the checks were already cashed. One was drawn in favor of J. W. Kerr for \$25.82, which was cashed by a bank in Montgomery, Ala., and the other in favor of R. F. Trolier for \$13.22, which was cashed by a bank in Atlanta, Ga.

The banks that cashed the checks will be the losers. The checks were signed by W. F. Richards, disbursing officer of the Marine Hospital Service. The fact that the pouch was found between Washington and Alexandria, and that the checks were cashed in Atlanta and Montgomery leads the Secret Service men to believe the thief escaped by the Southern Railway, and may have left the country by boat at New Orleans or Mobile.

Notice has been sent to all parts of the country directing the arrest of any person offering any of the checks to be cashed. It is feared, however, that most, if not all, of them have already been cashed.

THREATENS AN EMBARGO.

France Objects to Dried Fruits, Claiming They Contain Sulphur.

It was learned yesterday that the State Department, through Henry White, Ambassador to Paris, has made representations to the French government because of a threatened embargo by France upon American exports of dried fruits to that country.

The French government objects to the American exports, because it is claimed they have been treated with sulphur in the process of drying or evaporation. After considerable correspondence on the subject, the Agricultural Department recommended to the State Department that the United States resort to reprisals by refusing to permit the entry into the United States of French wines, which it is asserted by the chemists in the Department of Agriculture, have also been treated with sulphur, and are, therefore, not eligible to admission under the pure food law.

The controversy has been suspended temporarily at the request of the State Department, pending a report from the Remsen commission of pure food experts, of which Prof. Ira Remsen is president. This commission has been instructed to report fully upon the American exports to which objection is made, and also on the French wines, which are being imported into the United States, showing the proportion of deleterious substances each contains.

TOT INJURED CHASING BALL.

Struck by Speeding Bicyclist on Reservoir Street.

Thomas Pettus, four years old, was knocked down at a chicken house yesterday evening by a bicycle ridden by William Robertson, of 335 Scott street northwest. The boy was taken to Georgetown University Hospital, where he was treated for slight bruises and abrasions about the head. Thomas was playing in front of his home, 302 Reservoir street northwest, when Robertson came spinning along on his wheel. The boy was in front of the chicken house, and was struck on the head by the handle bars of the machine.

LAUGH AT THE REPORT.

No Intention of Sending Five Thousand Troops to Haiti.

Reports printed in New York yesterday that the War Department was preparing to send 5,000 troops to Haiti were treated with levity at the State and War Departments.

Secretary of War Luke E. Wright said: "If troops have been ordered to Haiti, or if the movement is contemplated, it is without my knowledge. I shall have to inquire about it."

Acting Secretary of State Alvey A. Adee said: "It's a pure fake."

The basis for the report was the fact that the War Department more than a year ago received confidential reports from Capt. Charles Young, Ninth Cavalry, who was military attaché of the American legation at Port au Prince, regarding topographical features of the country and the practicability of landing an army there.

GRANDSONSON WAS CONVICTED.

Judge Kimball Gives Verdict on Circumstantial Evidence.

Richard Granderson, charged with attacking Fannie Hall and Samuel Wade, was fined \$30 on each of two charges by Judge Kimball in the Police Court yesterday. Six government witnesses testified, and each told a different story of the circumstances. Each witness had apparently made out the strongest case against the defendant in his or her own mind and presented it to the judge. In passing sentence, Judge Kimball said that circumstantial evidence was the strongest evidence in the world, and that he accepted it nine times out of ten.

SPANIARDS SAVE AMERICANS.

Two Seamen of Fishing Schooner Rescued from Sea.

David F. Wilbur, American consul general at Halifax, Nova Scotia, has reported to the State Department the rescue of two seamen of the Gloucester fishing schooner Senator by the Spanish training ship Nautilus, Capt. Moreno Y. Eliza in command of the ship.

The two seamen left their schooner in a dory off the mouth of the La Have River on July 24. They were caught in the fog, and when it lifted the evening of July 21 they were picked up by the Nautilus and taken to Halifax.

Capt. Eliza refused to accept remuneration for the care taken of the men, but expressed a wish to pay them for the work they did on his vessel in the days they were on board.

TELLS FARMERS HOW TO LIVE

Forester Pinchot Explains Problems to Gathering.

As Member of President's Commission, Says Farmers Need City Advantages.

Gifford Pinchot, forester of the Federal Forest Service, talked to a number of farmers from Maryland and Virginia last night, at his home, 1615 Rhode Island avenue, on farming conditions. The meeting was the result of the appointment of a commission by President Roosevelt, a couple of days ago, to look into the betterment of farm life and agriculture conditions throughout the country.

President Roosevelt appointed Prof. L. H. Bailey, of the New York Agriculture College, at Ithaca; Henry Wallace, of Wallace's Farmer, of Des Moines, Iowa; Kenyon L. Butterfield, president of the Massachusetts Agricultural College, at Amherst; Gifford Pinchot, of the Federal Forest Service, and Walter H. Page, editor of the World's Work, New York, as members of the commission.

The questions of bettering crops in quality and quantity, and means of keeping the boys and girls on the farms, instead of allowing them to go to the cities to earn a living, were discussed. In the latter case, Mr. Pinchot told his visitors that the farmers must be able to make conditions on the farm such as will be an inducement to the children to stay there and to study farm work, rather than to take up professions and trades.

He said that the farmers many questions as to the social life in the country. This, he said, was for the purpose of improving the social life, in order to make it attractive to the boy and girl. He told his visitors that their wives and daughters should have the same social opportunities in the country as are had by business men's wives in the cities.

Co-operation for buying and selling of products and things needed on the farm were also discussed.

The question of preserving the natural resources was discussed at some length. Many of the farmers expressed views on this question that were new even to Mr. Pinchot, and he made many mental notes of these points. He said he was surprised at the general knowledge the farmers of this vicinity had on the question that is so important to the American people.

Another meeting will be held in the near future, and Mr. Pinchot hopes the farmers will come with suggestions as to the improvement of conditions.

G. W. U. FOOTBALL MEN MEET

Capt. Sommers Talks to Candidates for Hatcherites Team.

Buff and Blue Looking Forward to a Most Successful Season on the Gridiron.

In order to arouse as much enthusiasm as possible, Capt. W. A. Sommers, of the Georgetown University football team, gathered his squad at the Delta Tau Delta fraternity house, and, together with Coach Fred Nielsen, went over the whole situation with the players.

Despite the loss of the game with Georgetown, the Hatcherites are looking forward to a most successful season on the gridiron, and the object of the early meeting was to explain to the older players the necessity of getting out as many recruits as possible.

Following a conference between the captain, the coach, and Graduate Manager E. C. Wilson, it was decided to start practice on September 15. As the schedule is particularly hard, it will be necessary to rush the team into condition as soon as possible, and it is expected that the squad of candidates will be larger than in previous years.

Among those present at the meeting, besides Graduate Manager Wilson, were Coach Nielsen, Capt. Sommers, and Messrs. White, Crafts, Holmes, O'Neal, Witten, Baker, Maxcy, Edwards, Hart, Harrison and Haas.

STORY WAS EXAGGERATED.

German Embassy Attache Corrects Story from New York.

Baron Hartmann von Richthofen, second secretary of the German Embassy to the United States, located at Beverly Farms, Mass., for the summer months, is in a position to say that the story from New York of his search for Baroness von Richthofen, as Mark Twain expressed it, "greatly exaggerated."

Efforts on the part of the baron to locate a friend at the leading hotels in New York yesterday gave rise to the story that he had searched in vain for Baroness von Richthofen, and had rushed off to Washington, where her trunk had been sent on the arrival of the steamer, the passenger lists of which, however, did not contain the baroness's name. As visitors to the Richthofens explained last night at the New Willard Hotel, he is a bachelor and his friend is a man.

The baron was en route from Beverly Farms, Mass., to Washington to attend to some routine diplomatic matters, and had stopped over in New York to meet a man whom he expected on the Kaiser Wilhelm II. Missing him, the baron visited several of the principal hotels, and as he explained last night, his unfamiliarity with the English language may have made him misunderstood by some of the hotel clerks.

Baron von Richthofen has been in the United States two weeks, and this is his first official visit to Washington.

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MASONS PLAN A FETE

Housewarming Is Scheduled for October.

Will Open the New Temple

Committee of Local Lodges Decides on General Arrangements for Celebrating Completion of \$125,000 Structure at the Corner of Thirtieth and H Streets Northwest.

A two-weeks' housewarming in the new temple at Thirtieth and H streets northwest, with vaudeville, dancing, and other features, to be held beginning September 28, is the plan of a committee of all the local Masonic lodges which met last night in the National Rifles' Army Hall.

Chairman Louis P. Wilson, of the committee, presided over the meeting, which is the second one held to plan for the great opening of the beautiful new Masonic home, erected at a cost of about \$125,000. It had been the plan of those having the matter in charge to have a housewarming lasting three or four days, but in consideration of the great number of members and friends of the order who will desire to see the building at its opening, as well as the desirability of making the affair remunerative, the period was voted to be two weeks.

Progress Is Flattering.

Rapid and favorable progress was reported to the meeting by the chairman of several of the subcommittees appointed from the general housewarming committee at the last meeting. W. Hamilton Smith, chairman of the committee on the collection of unpaid subscriptions for the stock in the new temple, reported that through the efforts of his associates the fund from the remaining unpaid shares is rapidly swelling. He said that if about 70 per cent of what outstanding stock payments still exist can be collected, as he hoped, by the last of next month, and if one-half of the new issue is subscribed for, the order will be able to "change the housewarming into a jubilee."

Local Lodges Help.

Roe Fulkerson, chairman of the committee for the sale of the new stock, reported that nearly two-thirds of the local lodges had been conferred with concerning the matter, and that one special member in each had agreed to push the sale in that lodge. The committee will have a similar representative appointed in each of those remaining in a few days.

Most of the time of the meeting was given over to an open discussion of the matter of what charge should be made for the affair, and what arrangements should be agreed upon for the entertainment of the visitors. Dr. Frank Gibson, chairman of the entertainment committee, said that as instructed he will appoint his committee members as soon as possible. He offered a number of suggestions as to what form the entertainment should take. A continuous vaudeville each evening, a hall for dancing, a moving picture show, and a refreshment hall are among those thus far mentioned.

Season Ticket Scheme.

After much discussion of a number of schemes for tickets the committee finally adopted a season ticket for the entire two weeks to be sold at \$1. To each ticket will be attached two coupons of the value of 25 cents each, which will be good for that amount in admission to one of the attractions inside the building. Single tickets for each night, with three coupons attached, will be sold for one-fourth the price of the season tickets.

Plans will be made to supply every "blue lodge" Mason in the city with some of the tickets, and as there are some 8,500 of them, the entry into the new home should be remunerative. The idea of the coupons on the tickets is that the committee desires to make no actual charge for the admission as such, "but seek to give every visitor his money's worth in amusements after he has inspected the building."

Henry F. Woodard, attorney for the Mount Vernon Hotel, and J. H. Stiles, boat company, offered the steamer Mascal, and the Marshall Hall grounds on any open date, for the purpose of an excursion to be given by the Masonic order as a benefit to the new building fund.

MOOSE ON EXCURSION TO-DAY.

Young Social Organization Will Give Outing at Marshall Hall.

Games, races, and other amusements are scheduled to provide a good time today on the excursion of the Social Order of Moose to Marshall Hall.

The Social Order of Moose is among Washington's youngest organizations, having only six months old. The object of the order is to promote sociability and fraternal feeling.

A membership of 250 has been enrolled from among men in all walks of life, and a successful career is looked forward to by the members of the order.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

The coroner's jury, sitting at the morgue yesterday to inquire into the death of Walter Jones, a negro, was crushed by a street car several days ago, resulting in death due to carelessness of the deceased.

Ferdinand Smith, proprietor of a barber shop at 227 M street northwest, forfeited \$5,000 in the Federal Court yesterday. He was charged with maintaining an illicit establishment by Health Inspector A. S. Wilson.

Postal clerks are opposed to a new rule issued by Post-officials that all mail wherein persons are injured by mails thrown from trains, will be investigated, and the clerk who delivered the mail held responsible.

Word has been received here of the death yesterday at Havana, Cuba, of James J. Farnes, a former employee of the General Land Office. Mr. Farnes resigned his government position two years ago on account of failing health.

Prior to the return to Washington of President Roosevelt this fall, several rooms in the executive office of the White House are being painted. The offices have not been painted since their erection, three or four years ago.

Report of the loss of a diamond ring, valued at \$20, was made to the postmaster by L. C. Ulrich, of the Southern Railroad Company. Mr. Ulrich stated the ring was lost between the Pennsylvania and Seventh streets and Pennsylvania avenue.

Report was made to the police yesterday by Mrs. E. C. Giddings, of 515 E street northwest, that a thief had entered her house yesterday morning, and breaking into a desk in her room, had stolen \$75 in cash and checks for small amounts. The thief was seen to flee.

Caught between an elevator carriage and the wall of the shaft, in the west end of the Union Station yesterday morning, Brent Bailey, thirty years old, living at the St. James Hotel, received painful injuries. He was taken to the Casualty Hospital, where examination proved his injuries not serious.

The activity of James Thomas in the role of a shoe dealer resulted in his being sent to the workhouse for six months by Judge Kimball in the Police Court yesterday. The court had no doubt in the mind of Thomas, but objected to his selling shoes and boots, which is alleged to have been the substance of Howard Sigmund, 229 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, on Saturday night.

Accompanied by his mother, two brothers, Frank and Albert Collins, and a committee of other citizens of Birmingham, Ala., the body of Conductor James Collins, who was killed by a train at Birmingham, Ala., will arrive in Washington today. Funeral services will be held at the home of his sister, Mrs. Clara L. Collins, 1335 Pennsylvania street, to-morrow morning at 7 o'clock. Interment will be in Frederick, Md.

MAY DECIDE AGAINST ROADS.

Texas Likely to Win Complaint Proceedings Over Rates.

Observers of the precedents established by the Interstate Commerce Commission will take adverse action against the sixty-two railroads named as defendants in the complaint filed Monday against an increase in freight rates in the Southwest territory.

About three years ago the commission gave a decision covering a proposed increase of rates in Texas territory. Several of the lines made defendants. This decision was unfavorable to the railroads, but no order was issued as the time was before the passage of the Hepburn act, and the commission lacked legal powers it now possesses.

DISTRICT JAIL IS CROWDED

Prisoners Are Occupying the Chapel and Hospital.

Men and Women Are Sleeping on the Floors, and Others Are on Their Way.

The District jail is so crowded that the chapel and hospital, on the fourth floor, have been turned into quarters for prisoners. The number now in custody exceeds that at any recent time.

There are 600 prisoners at the jail, according to Warden McKee. This is a much greater number than was incarcerated at the same time last year, or at any time last year.

To make room for the increased number of wrongdoers, it has been found necessary to put thirty cots in the two large rooms on the fourth floor, and of the female prisoners are sleeping on the floors. The number of women at the jail far exceeds that of any other period.

In order to have proper care taken of the persons in his custody, Warden McKee yesterday asked the Department of Justice to give him permission to employ two extra matrons. The permission was granted, and Mrs. Mary J. Hall and Mrs. Elizabeth E. Wood took the oath of office. They begin their duties today.

Although a large number of prisoners have been recently sent to the District, the number at the jail seems little decreased.

BRYAN BANNER IS UNFURLED

Swings Over Pennsylvania Avenue at Fifteenth Street.

Notifies Pedestrians that Election for Another President Is at Last at Hand.

Swinging in the breeze and flapping gently over Pennsylvania avenue at Fifteenth street, a large banner bearing the portraits of Bryan and Kern yesterday attracted the attention of hundreds of persons, and incidentally reminded all that the Presidential election is at hand.

The banner is the first to be put up in Washington by either party, and is thoroughly emblematic of that political spirit which is every ready to announce "the fight is on."

The Virginia Democratic Association of Washington, D. C., has erected the banner, and in accordance with its time-honored policy, intends to begin the fight in near-by States for the election of the Democratic nominee.

Following is the telegram sent William J. Bryan yesterday by W. Mosby Williams, president of the association:

August 11, 1908.
Hon. William Jennings Bryan, Lincoln, Neb.:
The Virginia Democratic Association of Washington, D. C., takes pleasure in informing you that it has this day swung to the breeze across Pennsylvania avenue its political banner with likenesses of Bryan and Kern, and desires to appear in the nation's Capital in this campaign.

W. MOSBY WILLIAMS, President.

For the purpose of rallying Bryan and Kern, the association will hold a public meeting at the Riggs House Friday evening at 8 o'clock, at which speeches will be made by prominent Democrats. Virginians are especially invited to attend.

It was the task of the association officials that the American government had no political interests in Persia, but that the great majority of Americans in this country are seeking to conduct a policy of peacefulness. One American missionary here are held in the highest esteem.

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BUY SITE FOR TWO SCHOOLS

Commissioners Pay \$55,400 for Twelfth and L Streets Land.

Save \$19,600 by Cautious Dickering. Though More Ground Is Needed for Buildings.

In order to relieve the crowded conditions in the Franklin and Thomson public school buildings, the Commissioners yesterday purchased a parcel of land at the corner of Twelfth and L streets northwest as a site for the erection of a new building for which Congress appropriated \$125,000 at the last session.

The price paid for the land was \$55,400, \$19,600 less than the owners at first sought to get for their property. When the proposals were advertised for this site was the only one offered that was suitable.

Maj. Morrow regarded the price as entirely too high, and placed a valuation on the land of \$55,400, which was finally agreed upon. The plot has a frontage of 161 feet on Twelfth street by 12 1/2 feet deep.

The area of the new site not being quite large enough for the proposed building, it was decided by the Commissioners to take the lots between H and L streets. No price could be obtained for this property, however, and so condemnation proceedings have been instituted. When these have been completed, and the lots added to those already in the possession of the officials a frontage of 168 feet on L street and 162 feet on Twelfth street will have been obtained, which is ample for the new school.

VISITS THE COMMISSIONERS.

Among the visitors to the District Building and the Commissioners yesterday was Representative Richard Bartholdt, of St. Louis. He had a conference with Commissioner West on business of a private nature.

Mr. Bartholdt leaves the city today for New York, from where he expects to sail for Europe on Friday to attend the Interparliamentary Union the latter part of this month in Germany. He expects to return to this country early in September, and will then enter actively into the campaign. Of a strong Republican victory he seemed sanguine.

Money Accumulates Rapidly

When deposited in banking department of UNION TRUST COMPANY, 11th and H streets northwest, where ALL accounts draw interest. Deposits subject to check.

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POLICE ARE NERVOUS

They Hear a General Shake-up Is Contemplated.

INVESTIGATION BY THE MAJOR

Members of the Force Much Perturbed Over Rumors of a General Housecleaning, but Supt. Sylvester Asserts There Has Been More or Less Exaggeration by the Gossips.

Recent discussion of the Washington police department, together with a few minor changes and investigation of affairs in several precincts and in the central office, has started the rumor that Maj. Sylvester intends the force to undergo a thorough housecleaning.

In preparation for the general shake-up the men and officers feel is coming, every member of the department is on his mettle, and many are making reports to the superintendent.

Maj. Sylvester last night said some changes would be made for the good of the service, but he added that the rumors of a general clean-up were greatly exaggerated.

Statements at Variance.

This statement is slightly at variance with other statements made by the superintendent. In the last three months, he has on several occasions said he was not satisfied with the work of some of the men and the manner in which certain of the precincts are conducted. In several cases he has cited specific instances of what he considered derelictions of duty.

Maj. Sylvester had made personal inspections of precincts officially, and from the tone of a large meeting car, from these tours of inspection it is rumored the ax will fall hardest in the precincts in the northwest section, and will result in several changes in the First precinct, the central or downtown station. The changes in this precinct, it is understood, are in a manner connected with the rather poor success made by the men of that station in the recent vice crusade.

Bicycle Policeman Fletcher, of the Tenth precinct, is suspected of dereliction. "For the good of the service" is the reason given. Maj. Sylvester said last night that Policeman Ross, of the Tenth precinct, would be promoted and mounted to fill the vacancy made by Fletcher's removal.

Successor to McNamee.

Yesterday Detective Thomas McNamee was promoted to duty at the office of the United States district attorney. A man will be chosen to fill the vacancy at the Central office. The superintendent said last night he probably would announce McNamee's successor today.

Maj. Sylvester several weeks ago made complaint of dereliction of duty among the bicycle men of the Second, Eighth, and Tenth precincts. He called attention to the action of the men in allowing automobiles to speed in Fourteenth street, and said that unless serious were done wholesale changes would be made.

DOTY HAS WRITTEN AGAIN.

Kurdish Outlaws Are Becoming More Considerate in Persia.

A report from William F. Doty, American consul at Tabriz, Persia, upon conditions in the Turkish district, was received at the State Department yesterday. Early last month, Mr. Doty, at the request of American missionaries at Urumia, made an inspection trip through Western Persia, where the natives had for several months been terrorized and robbed by nomadic bands of Kurdish outlaws. Conditions there, Consul Doty said, had improved considerably before he arrived at Urumia. He added:

"I met the Turkish frontier commissioners under pleasant auspices. Tahir Pasha and Lieut. Gen. Daniel Pasha head the commission."

"At the opening of a hospital to the memory of the late Dr. Joseph Cochran, all of the notables of Urumia were present, including the governor, the Turkish frontier commissioners, the chief Persian ecclesiastical authorities, who generally are very bigoted, and the representatives, civil and ecclesiastical, of many nationalities. It was my task to induce the officials that the American government had no political interests in Persia, but that the great majority of Americans in this country are seeking to conduct a policy of peacefulness. One American missionary here are held in the highest esteem."

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FUNERAL OF GERMAN BARON.

Once Honored Aid-de-camp to Bismarck in Obscure Grave.

Baron Alexander de Pury-Herve, member of one of the oldest families in Germany and an able aid-de-camp to Bismarck, was buried at a little cemetery in the Bludenberg road on Monday afternoon. In compliance with his dying request, two lilies and a red rose were laid on the coffin. They are the three flowers on his family coat-of-arms.

The funeral services were simple, and only a few friends and a single representative of the German Embassy accompanied the body to the grave.

The baron left a son, who is an officer in the Kaiser's bodyguard. His wife, a princess, divorced him years ago, and the son never saw his father.

While you think of it, telephone your want ad. to The Washington Herald, and bill will be sent you at 1 cent a word.

GETS CUBAN CONTRACT.

Hugh Reilly Wins Out by Direction of the President.

Havana, Aug. 11.—Gov. Magoon has issued a decree directing the department of public works to enter into a contract with Hugh Reilly for the construction of water works and sewers at Cienfuegos.

This matter has been pending since June, 1906, when the ayuntamiento, of Cienfuegos, made a contract with Reilly for the same work. Subsequently the ayuntamiento revoked the contract and appealed to Gov. Magoon who upheld it. Reilly appealed to Washington, where Gov. Magoon was reversed, "by direction of the President of the United States," who prescribed conditions and modifications of the old contract, thus ending a long and hard fight by Reilly.

DIED.